

OCEAN, BAR, BAY, DOCK AND RIVER

The steamship Breakwater arrived in yesterday morning from Coos Bay and docked at the O. R. & N. pier, where she discharged a lot of freight. Judge M. R. Ellis was a passenger for Portland and The Dalles, after a ten-day sojourn in that section preaching the gospel of good Republicanism and William Howard Taft. Captain Macginn, of the Breakwater announced that the steamer M. F. Plant is now off the spit at the bar and anchored safely in easy water three-quarters of a mile from the scene of her mischance. She was being supplied with food stores and coal, and one of the local tugs had been chartered to take her to San Francisco where she will go on the drydock at once; her rudder and rudder-post are gone completely and the damage she suffered is measured at approximately \$15,000. She was to have left Coos on Sunday for the southern tow.

The motor schooner Della, Captain Anderson commanding, cheese laden from Nestucca, entered port, or started to enter port, on Sunday night and went to the mud off Buoy No. 8, in the bar channel, and stayed there till noon yesterday, when the Engineer's steamer Major Guy Howard passed her a line and hauled her off and to the jetty dock. From there she was hauled to the Astoria Iron Works dock by the Keating launch Pilot No. 1, and will be repaired instantly. She bent her shoe and her propeller refused to work. But she will be all right in a few days again. The Point Adams life savers stood by her all night.

The entire Elmore fleet, the Sue H. Elmore, the Evie and the Gerald C. arrived in this port from Tillamook yesterday evening, and all came loaded to the rails with the products of that region. The Sue H. brought in a big list of passengers, including Giles B. Johnson, the affable general agent of the A. & C. Railway in this city. (We never said it). These vessels will load out at once for Tillamook as there is plenty of freight awaiting them.

Captain Jack Anderson, the popular master of the steamer Hassalo is back in the wheel house, much improved from his late attack of lumbago, and glad to be in service once more, as his friends at this end of the river are. They were pretty blue about him for sometime.

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HEARING WILL BE HELD IN CHECK CASES

SINGER AND MARHO CHARGED
WITH RECEIVING GOODS
UNDER FALSE PRETENSES

The arrest of the two men who have been operating in bad checks in Astoria, during the past week, was the occasion of much comment Sunday and yesterday. No more victims have been found but there are sufficient indignant business men to assure a vigorous prosecution.

The work of these men was, as stated in the Astorian, very smooth but later statements made by the victimized merchants show that the men worked on a system even craftier than was at first supposed.

Their plan of work was such as to mislead the careful business man. No checks were cashed with the victims, nor any money received from them, the checks being made out for the exact amount of the purchases. The men are supposed to have reached this city on Monday and commenced operations by the deposit in the bank. Then one of them proceeded to make small purchases at different stores paying in checks which when taken to the bank were honored. After continuing this until Friday Singer posed as a solicitor for trade under a scheme known as the "Astoria Investment Co.," which undertook to sell goods on weekly installments. He entered the establishment of Victor Rost on Friday, and having made a small purchase there earlier in the week was acquainted with the proprietor. He stated that he had a customer for a watch and asked what commission he would be allowed on the sale, he to pay cash and collect in installments from the purchaser. On being told he left and later returned with the supposed customer who, after inspecting several watches, selected one which with chain was priced at \$128. Singer gave his check for the amount, and the customer took the watch with him when both left the store. On Saturday Singer returned to collect his commission but as Mr. Rost had not as yet cashed the check he would not pay the commission and Singer then informed him that he was not anxious about the money but wanted another watch for a prospective purchaser. He picked out at \$33 time-piece to take to the customer paying for it with a check. Later Mr. Rost became suspicious and made some inquiries which resulted in the discovery by him that several checks were abroad with little or no money in the bank to meet them. Others had also made a similar discovery and the men were soon behind the bars.

All the goods have been recovered and, with the exception of Mr. Rost's watches, returned to the owners, they being held at Mr. Rost's request. At the station it was found that one of the watches was missing but a search by Chief Oberg disclosed it concealed in the underclothing of one of the men.

A charge of receiving goods under false pretenses has been filed against the men and their hearing will take place this morning at Judge Goodman's court, the absence from the city of Deputy District Attorney Brownell precluding its being held yesterday. C. J. Curtis will appear as attorney for the accused men and there is little doubt that much interest will be manifested in the case.

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ASTORIA HIGH SCHOOL WINS FIRST GAME

SPLENDID SHOWING MADE
BY OUR BOYS AT PORT-
LAND YESTERDAY.

According to a special dispatch received by the Astorian, last night, from Charles Abercrombie, coach of the High School football team, the Astoria team defeated the Portland Academy team by a score of 11 to 4. The game was a fine one throughout and according to the telegram the Portland team never made yardage.

The defeat of the Portland team is really quite a notable victory, for even the well wishers of the local eleven hardly hoped for a victory in the first game. The Portland Academy boys have been playing right along and have made an excellent record. The Astoria boys go to Eugene next, to play the high school there, but will stop at Salem on the way and probably will play a practice game with the school team of that city. No regular game was sought with the Salem team for the reason that it was figured three games in one week would be too many.

Covered With Flowers—

The grave of George Knudsen, who was buried Sunday in Greenwood, was literally covered with flowers, many of them being very beautiful. Some were in the form of set pieces, while others were merely little offerings made by friends. The funeral was largely attended, perhaps 150 people making the journey to the grave. The funeral party went in the steamers Julia B. and the Miller. The Rev. W. S. Gilbert conducted the funeral services, both at the home and at the cemetery. The Teamsters Union attended in a body.

AMUSEMENTS

"THE RIVALS" THURSDAY.

The writers of comedy these days have not improved upon the work of a century and a quarter ago when Richard Brinsley Sheridan penned "The Rivals." The natural and unctious humor in this play is caused by the scared bravery of Bob Acres, the quaint, infectious manner of the prince of Irish gentlemen, "Sir Lucius O'Trigger," the blustering Sir Anthony Absolute, and the awful mutilation of the King's English by Mrs. Malaprop, while the numerous complications of the plot, are as laughable as they were 40 years ago, when the illustrious actor, the late Joseph Jefferson, first made his fame as "Fighting Bob" in "The Rivals." Two of his sons have succeeded him and are now appearing in this comedy with phenomenal success. William W. is the Bob Acres, while Joseph appears as Sir Lucius O'Trigger, and the rest of the parts are portrayed by most capable artists and a performance of more than ordinary interest may be expected when the Jefferson boys present "The Rivals."

FLAMING ARROW.

Lincoln J. Carter's border drama, "The Flaming Arrow," will open an engagement of one night next Sunday.

It is said to possess the true, western melodrama flavor depending for its success upon the brisk action, exciting climaxes and stage mounting, together with an adroitness of dramatic conception and an excellent plot. The company number 30 people and other paraphernalia connected with an attraction of this calibre.

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